

ROAD FATALITIES — REGIONAL WESTERN AUSTRALIA

440. Hon SALLY TALBOT to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Road Safety:

- (1) Of the 77 fatal crashes, 87 deaths and 84 critical injuries that occurred on regional roads in 2015, how many occurred —
 - (a) within 50 kilometres of the driver's home;
 - (b) between 50 kilometres and 100 kilometres from the driver's home;
 - (c) between 100 kilometres and 200 kilometres from the driver's home; and
 - (d) more than 200 kilometres from the driver's home?
- (2) How many occurred while the driver was travelling to or from their workplace?
- (3) How many of —
 - (a) the deaths; and
 - (b) the critical injuriesoccurred in crashes that were related to —
 - (i) alcohol;
 - (ii) fatigue;
 - (iii) inattention; or
 - (iv) speed?

Hon MICHAEL MISCHIN replied:

On behalf of the Minister for Road Safety, I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question.

(1)–(2) The data requested is not recorded for fatal and critical injury crashes.

- (3) (a) Of the deaths —
 - (i) there were 23 related to alcohol;
 - (ii) there were 13 related to fatigue;
 - (iii) there were seven related to inattention; and
 - (v) there were 29 related to speed.
- (b) Of the critical injuries —
 - (i) there were 16 related to alcohol;
 - (ii) there were 14 related to fatigue;
 - (iii) there were eight related to inattention; and
 - (iv) there were 27 related to speed.

Note that these figures are sourced from preliminary 2015 crash data and are subject to change.